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TO CG FORT CHAFFEE ARKANSAS

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SUBJECT: GAO REVIEW: EVACUATION AND RESETTLEMENT OF  
REFUGEES FROM INDOCHINA

FOR SENIOR CIVILIAN COORDINATOR

1. GAO REVIEWING BUDGETARY, LEGAL, POLICY AND RELATED  
MATTERS CONCERNING THE EVACUATION OF VIETNAMESE NATIONALS  
FROM SOUTH VIET-NAM. AS PART OF THIS REVIEW GAO AUDITORS  
TOMMY J. PATTERSON AND JERRY E. PRIEST WILL ARRIVE YOUR  
STATION MAY 13. PATTERSON HAS TOP SECRET AND PRIEST SECRET  
SECURITY CLEARANCES. AUDITORS ARRANGING OWN ACCOMMODATIONS.

2. AUDITORS WILL WISH TO REVIEW SITUATION WITH PRINCIPAL  
MILITARY AND CIVILIAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS CONCERNED AND  
OBSERVE VARIOUS PHASES OF REFUGEE OPERATIONS. THEY UNDER-  
STAND EXTREME PRESSURES UNDER WHICH ALL ARE WORKING AND  
FACT THAT TRANSPORT AND OTHER ASSISTANCE WILL BE LIMITED.

3. THE DEPARTMENT WISHES TO COOPERATE WITH THE GAO. QUES-  
TIONS AND/OR PROBLEMS ARISING DURING THE COURSE OF THEIR  
VISIT SHOULD BE REFERRED TO THE DEPARTMENT FOR RESOLUTION  
WITH THE GAO HERE. KISSINGER

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